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REQUEST FOR REFUND
 (Improper Charge of Deposit Account)

Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202
 October 5, 2005

Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

I. REFUND REQUEST

This is a request with respect to the claim fee submitted in the national phase of PCT Application No. PCT/AU03/01316. The rate indicated was \$300.00 for each independent claim over 3. The rate should have been \$200.00 per additional claim for a large entity.

☒ application. ☐ patent.

A copy of the Transmittal Letter to the U.S. Designated/Elected Office Concerning a Submission under 35 U.S.C. §371 is attached indicating the incorrect amount on page 2.

II. FEES CHARGED FOR WHICH REFUND REQUESTED:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	filing fee	<u>\$1,550.00</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	surcharge for filing the basic filing fee on a date later than the filing date of the application (37 CFR 1.16(e))	<u> </u>

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and/or

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	surcharge for filing the oath or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application (37 CFR 1.16(e))	<u>130.00</u>
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	other <u>incorrect claim fee</u>	<u>\$1,850.00</u>
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TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED		<u>\$ 170.00</u>
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III. EXPLANATION OF WHY CONTESTED CHARGE IS IN ERROR

This application was filed on April 6, 2005 as the national phase of PCT Application No. PCT/AU03/01316 with an incorrect claim fee of \$300.00 per additional independent claim. The claim fee should have been \$200.00 per additional independent claim.

The correct filing fee for this application is \$1,680.00 which includes the basic filing, examination and search fees of \$1,550.00 for 21 claims, 6 of which are independent and the surcharge charge of \$130.00 for a late oath or declaration.

IV. MANNER OF REFUND

Please make refund by

- ☒ crediting Account No. 01.2000
☐ refunding payment

Respectfully submitted,

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